

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

In re: RICHARD ROY SCOTT

CASE NO. MC05-5029 MJP

ORDER RE: NINTH CIRCUIT
MANDATE

On December 22, 2015, the Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit issued a mandate in Case No. 14-35501, effectuating an order from earlier in the year reversing this Court's decision to deny Mr. Scott IFP status in regards to a complaint he had filed. (*See* Dkt. No. 142-1, Richard Roy Scott v. Mark Strong.)

In light of that order, the Court rules as follows:

IT IS ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall open a new civil case, Richard Roy Scott v. Mark Strong, and shall file in that docket both the original complaint (Dkt. No. 142-1) and the amended complaint (Dkt. No. 150) which Mr. Scott filed upon receipt of the Ninth Circuit's order.

1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Scott's request to be permitted to proceed *in forma*
2 *pauperis* in the above-mentioned matter is GRANTED.

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4 The clerk is ordered to provide copies of this order to all counsel.

5 Dated this 12th day of January, 2016.

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9 Marsha J. Pechman
United States Chief District Judge